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VOL. 34.

VICTORIA, B. C. THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 1902.

NO. 161.



CLOCKS - FRENCH AND AMERICAN We have all sorts of clocks for all sorts of purposes...

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10c. Wall Papers New Patterns, from 10c up (double roll); 20 per cent. discount on all last year's papers. J. W. MELLOR, 76-78 FORT STREET.

FOR SALE AND RENT 7 roomed house, stable, chicken house, etc., for rent...



Hudson's Bay Co., Agents.

Read This WE OFFER Several Bargains In cottages and dwellings of all descriptions...

FOR SALE Furniture and goodwill of a boarding house in the centre of the city...

House - For Sale \$380. Will buy a small house and half a lot, Spring Ridge district...

A. W. More & Co., Ltd. 22 BROAD STREET. FISHING TACKLE Largest stock of best quality English tackle.

WE KEEP HAMMERING AT IT "Bottom Prices" Our Motto Everything for the house. HASTIE'S FAIR Seed Potatoes Sir Walter Raleigh is a new kind we are offering...

NOTICE. Campbell & Co., Tailors Have disposed of their business, and all book accounts due must be paid before April 1st next...

COL. LESSARD MAY BE IN COMMAND OF THE CONTINGENT OFFERED BY CANADA Many Applications Have Been Made to Militia Department - Troops for Coronation Ceremonies.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, March 26. - A cable is expected at any moment from the Imperial authorities accepting Canada's offer of additional troops for South Africa...

THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE CECIL RHODES Will Take Place at Capetown on Wednesday - How Kruger Received the News.

WASHED THEIR FEET. Emperor Francis Joseph Performed the Traditional Ceremony To-Day.

YUKON DELEGATION. The Yukon delegation about the Treadgold concession had an interview today with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Clifford Sifton...

STRIKE THREATENED. Report That Further Trouble on C. P. R. is Imminent.

SAIL IN JUNE. Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier Leave New York on the 14th.

LEAVE FOR AFRICA. Ten Members of Mounted Rifles Sailed on the Parthenia From St. John.

TICKET SCALPING. Judgment of a Judge in Chicago Superior Court.

DEATHS FROM CHOLERA. Cairo, Egypt, March 27. - It is said here that nearly a thousand deaths from cholera have occurred at Mecca since March 23rd.

ADJOURNMENT OF IMPERIAL COMMONS NO CABINET CHANGES PROBABLE THIS YEAR Mr. Chamberlain's Friends Say He Desires to Tour British Colonies After Leaving Office.

IN THE LEGISLATURE. Important Resolutions Will Be Introduced Relating to the E. & N. Railway.

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The public bill committee met this morning to consider the petition of the Victoria & Seymour Narrows Railway Company for leave to present a petition to introduce a bill to incorporate the company, and decided to recommend that leave be granted.

THE COMMISSION ON RAILWAY DEAL FIRST SESSION WAS HELD THIS MORNING

J. N. Greenhields Gave Evidence - Denied He Represented Government in the Negotiations. "The commissioner, Mr. Justice Walker, opened his court of inquiry into the matter of the Canada Northern railway and the relation of Premier Desjardins and members of the government thereto in the court house at 10 o'clock this morning."

First - That the Premier of the province, in negotiations with the representatives of the Canada Northern Railway Company, had agreed to give that company an excessive subsidy in money and lands, without proper safeguards for provincial interests...

Secondly - That the Premier and his colleagues, actually, the Attorney-General, Chief Commissioner and Finance Minister, were guilty in their official positions of grave misconduct in appointing one Mr. Greenhields, the Canada Northern Railway Company's agent, to act as the agent of the government in negotiating with the Canada Northern Railway Company for its extension through this province...

Thirdly - That the Minister of Mines, Col. Prior, was guilty of similar misconduct after he became, as he did lately, a member of the ministry, in assenting to what is above complained of. And lastly - That the negotiations referred to were entered into by the Premier for his own benefit at a great prohibitive loss to the province, as well as serious injury to its credit and good name.

The learned commissioner stated that he had no control over state documents. Mr. Bond held that he had power to secure all documents. The commissioner replied that he would look into the matter.

All communications or copies of communications having a reference to the proposed railway from Bute Inlet, or thereabouts, to or through the Yellowhead Pass, which have passed between the government and British Columbia, or between any person acting as agent or representative of the government or of the said person, or persons on the one hand, and Messrs. Mackenzie, Mann & Co., or any member of their firm, or any person representing their firm, or any company managed or controlled, wholly or partly, directly or indirectly, by them, the said firm, or the other hand.

The drafts of all contracts proposed by the government or any person or persons acting with its authority or on its behalf, or proposed to the government or to any person or persons acting on its behalf, with reference to the said railway, before, but not after, the date of the said order of the government, and all contracts or counterpart contracts thereto signed or executed by the government, or any person or persons with its authority, or by the other party to such contracts in each case, or by both of such parties.

The New Vancouver Coal Mining & Land Co. Limited. Supply from their Nanaimo, Southfield and Protection Island Coalfields.

The Daily Times. Published every day (except Sunday) by Times Printing & Publishing Co., JOHN NELSON, Manager.

tion of five members as a commendable proposal. Further, in the present bill there is no provision for minority representation. It is inconceivable that the minority are either so wilfully perverse or woefully ignorant that they are unaware of the first principles of democratic government.

and, ceding the children's food. There is one improvement possible on this ideal state of things, but the time is not yet. The inspector's reports are, and should be, the most valuable part of the volume so far as the teachers are concerned.

Presents FOR EASTER. We can supply you with a variety of pretty and useful articles suitable for the season.

Walter S. Fraser & Co., Ltd. DEALERS IN HARDWARE. Iron, Steel, Pipe, Fittings, and Brass Goods.

forming a similar operation in Victoria. The graduate for some obscure medical college could operate upon a man for appendicitis in Adin, but the same graduate would be acting illegally if he tried to perform a similar operation in Vancouver.

Personal. Fellow Harvey, head of the well known assay company of Fellow Harvey, has announced his intention of paying this province a visit in June or July next.

REDISTRIBUTION. Upon the principle that "Half a loaf is better than no bread," we welcomed the Redistribution Bill, and we frankly admitted that we would rather have the bill as now proposed by the government than the present unequal and therefore unjust method of representation.

Public Schools Report. The educational report for the year 1900-01 is by no means the perfunctory document which the public are generally apt to look for. It is not interesting to teachers alone, and, though there may be some red tape in the binding, there is a savour of originality about the pages that promises some profit to a good digestion of the matter.

THE ROYAL COMMISSION. Having refused a committee of the House and given instead a Royal Commission to investigate the charges against its members, the ministry of the day cannot afford to expose that commission itself to any charges.

THE MEDICAL ACT. Mr. Stables, member for Cassiar, has introduced a bill in the House providing for the following amendment to the Medical Act: "The council shall admit upon the register any person who is of good conduct and reputation shown by a certificate signed by a magistrate or clergyman, and who produces from any college or school of medicine within Great Britain, Ireland, any of His Majesty's colonies or dependencies, or any province of Canada, a diploma of qualification as a doctor of medicine.

FEETE IN CHINATOWN. The Wong Society this morning celebrated the birthday of a much venerated princess, who is now enrolled among the sanctified. She is the Joss, Given Yum, and to-day is the anniversary of her birth.

SCEPTICS TURN BELIEVERS. AND ARE CURED. DR. AGNEW'S CATARRHAL POWDER A GREAT BLESSING. "When I read that Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder could relieve Catarrh in 10 minutes I was far from being convinced.

FAITH NAIL YOUR FAITH TO BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. It purifies and enriches the blood. Acts on the Kidneys, Liver, Stomach and Bowels.

INDIAN TEAS. Imported direct from the gardens by F. M. S. Bayne. Prices from 25c. to \$1.00 per lb. Office at 44 Fort Street.

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THE Taming of The Shrew. Prices \$1.50, \$1.00, 50c. and 25c. Seats on sale at Victoria Book & Stationery Store.

A Royal Commission. Has been asked in the house across the Bay. No such procedure is requisite to demonstrate the superiority and cheapness of the Groceries sold by SAUNDERS.

Fit-Reform Wardrobes CANADA. Are Homes of Fashionable Attire for Gentlemen. Spring Suits and Overcoats \$12.00 to \$25.00.

MONSOON TEA. Direct from Grower to the Consumer. C.R. King & Son, Wholesale Agents, Victoria.

Ping Pong Sets. Complete, or each individual part separately. Nets, 50 cts. Each. Net Supports, 50 cts. Each.

W. A. JAMESON. Has Removed From 33 Fort St. to 62 Fort St., WHERE HE IS DEALING IN TEAS AND COFFEES EXCLUSIVELY.

VICTORIA THEATRE. SATURDAY, MARCH 29. The Eminent Shakespearean Star Mr. Charles B. Manford.

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Enter Your Dog in the Victoria City Kennel Club's Dog Show. Philharmonic Hall, April 3, 4, 5.

HYSLOP BICYCLE. Come round and see our 1902 model and get a catalogue. Renting, repairing and sundries.

THE WESTSIDE

VICTORIA'S POPULAR STORE MARCH 27, 1902.

OPEN LATE TO-NIGHT The Westside Store will be open late to-night for the sale of Easter Novelties.

Easter Kid Gloves

The wonderful command of the best markets for Kid Gloves enables 'The Westside' to offer special values at Easter time.

Given Away With Kid Gloves



A Large Bottle of Perfume

Today the Management of 'The Westside' will give away a large bottle of choice Perfume with every pair of Kid Gloves purchased at 65c. per pair and over.

- LADIES' WHITE CHAMOIS WASH... MEN'S GOOD QUALITY MOCHA GLOVES... FINE FRENCH KID GLOVES... EXTRA FINE FRENCH KID GLOVES...

THE HUTCHESON CO., LD., VICTORIA, B.C.

For Fishermen THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST

PICHON & LENFESTY 45 Johnson Street.

Just arrived—Fishing Tackle of every description... Healthy Canned Fish always on hand.

Entirely New Goods

- BONELESS HAMS... BEEF BOLOGNA... VIENNA SAUSAGE... MELBROSE FAT... CHICKEN LIVER... WATER SLICED DRIED BEEF...

Watson & Hall, 55 YATES ST.

LINDEN AVENUE

The choicest residential property now on the market in Victoria. ONLY TEN LOTS NOW REMAIN UNSOLD.

Buy Now

If you want a home, or you will always regret it. For particulars apply to

Heisterman & Co. advertisement with logo.

A Friend For Life

DOMESTIC Sewing Machines advertisement by Fletcher Bros.

PACIFIC BOTTLING CO. Standard Bottled Beer advertisement.

The Children Should See

Our window full of Easter Novelties, Eggs of all sizes, in Baskets, Cressis, Cups, Nets, Gypsy Baskets, etc., etc.

ERSKINE, WALL & CO. Telephone 43. The Leading Grocers.

SEE KEITH'S OLEBRATED

Walk-Over and High Life Shoes For Summer Wear.

The Paterson Shoe Co., Ltd., 35 Johnson Street.



CANNERYMEN WILL NOT ALL COMBINE

NUMBER STAND ALOOF FROM ORGANIZATION

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE. The appeal in Dunsmuir vs. Colonist did not come on this morning.

It is Claimed Individual Interests Would Suffer to Greater Extent Than Advantages Accruing.

Negotiations for the big salmon cannery combine, mentioned in this paper a few days ago, are still under way.

Robert Ward, the head of the firm of Robert Ward & Company, is now in England, and he is being consulted about the company's canneries being incorporated in the scheme.

Mr. Justice Martin presided in Chambers this morning, when the following applications were disposed of:

Blank vs. Goebel, J. H. Bradburn, for defendant, applied for an extension of time for delivering statement of defence.

Harris vs. Dummur, Application by defendant for review of taxation of costs was adjourned for one week.

Yit Gim vs. Kay Yane, W. H. Langley, for plaintiff, applied ex parte for an injunction to restrain defendant from removing certain cordwood.

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HOT X BUNS ORDER EARLY. Delivery and Quality Guaranteed.

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Rakwana Ceylon Tea

Ceylon Teas are honestly at the front in popularity because they possess a strength and flavor pleasing to the palate.

Johns Bros. Wholesale and Retail Grocers and Butchers. 260 DOUGLASS STREET.

TRY A BOTTLE OF PULMONIC COUGH CURE It will stop that cough. Made only by HALL & CO., DISPENSING CHEMISTS.

—Steamer Princess May left the Terminal City at 1.30 p. m. after connecting with the train from the East.

—The totals of the Victoria clearing house for the week ending March 25th were \$521,687, balances \$125,244.

—Messrs. Royds & Deasy have dissolved partnership by mutual consent. The former will carry on the business.

—Services will be conducted in St. Saviour's to-morrow, by Rev. W. D. Barber, as follows: 8 a. m., litany; 11 a. m., morning prayer; 7 p. m., evening prayer.

—Lionel H. Webber, well known in this city, has been appointed government inspector of mines for the Transvaal.

—H. M. S. Egeria leaves the dry dock on Monday, where she has had her keel repaired and some other injuries made good.

—The purchasing agent is calling for tenders for supplying 3,000 barrels more or less of White Bros' English Portland cement.

—Fred Carne, president of the newly formed Pacific Merchandise Company, which has just been organized in Portland to carry on the business of the Tontine Savings Association.

—An extra of the Provincial Gazette was issued last night, containing the official notification of the royal commission which sits to-day to investigate the charges preferred by Smith Curtis, M. P., against the President and members of the executive council.

—A committee from Far West Lodge, No. 1, Victoria Lodge, No. 17, and Uniform Rank, K. P., held a meeting last night to arrange for the annual decoration service which takes place on June 15th.

—Divine service will be held at Synagogue Emanuel at 7.30 to-morrow (Friday) evening. Rev. Montague N. A. Cohen will deliver the third sermon on "Women in the Jewish Religion," entitled "Woman as Wife." Subject for Saturday morning is "Our Prayers."

—All studies in connection with St. Ann's Academy will cease for a week for the Easter holidays, and will recommence on April 2nd.

—An announced in the advertising columns of this paper offers of sites for the proposed new free public library, for which Andrew Carnegie has promised \$50,000.

—A cyclist was fined \$3 in the police court this morning for riding on the sidewalk.

—The Tourist Association has published a very neat little folder for the information of tourists, and its liberal distribution should certainly be productive of the best results.

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BOWES' Bronchial Balsam advertisement with image of a bottle.

Poor Printing Looks Hideous

That's just the way with tons of printed matter that business men send out. So badly printed, it repels at first glance, and the force of the argument is ruined.

BUT DOESN'T IT PAY TO MAKE PEOPLE READ YOUR LITERATURE?

Try our way once. You will be pleased with the change. We do only good work, and we do it quickly, nicely, reasonably. Estimates cheerfully furnished and samples shown.

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WEATHER BULLETIN. Daily Report Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, March 27.—5 a. m.—Since yesterday the barometer has fallen to nearly 29 inches in the Territories, while off our Coast it is considerably above 30 inches.

For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday, Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair weather.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy, with occasional showers.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.25; temperature, 43; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, fair.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 40; minimum, 38; wind, 20 miles S.; rain, .20; weather, fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 29; minimum, 24; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, .10; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 26; minimum, 20; wind, calm; snow, .01; weather, snow.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

Attend the Metronome Club dance Easter Monday, A. O. U. W. hall. Tickets, \$1 couple; extra lady, 25c.

Let Us Dispense Your Prescriptions Our Drugs and Medicines are pure. We keep only the best—it's none too good for our customers.

V. S. & T. R. R. An excursion train will leave Central Station (market building) every Sunday morning at 8 o'clock for Crofton.

—Cheap rates from all points East via Northern Pacific Railway Company; effective "at once." The Northern Pacific Railway Company will sell tickets from all Eastern points at reduced rates on account of "The Home-seekers' Excursions."

—If you intend sending for anyone to come to Victoria, B. C., call on C. E. Lang, general agent, corner Yates and Government streets.

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA

Presented to the Proprietors at their Sixty-Sixth Yearly General Meeting, on Tuesday, March 4th, 1902.

Table with columns for 'To Capital', 'To Reserve Fund', 'To Deposits and Current Accounts', etc., showing financial details for the year ending December 31, 1901.

NOTE: The latest monthly returns received from Dawson City and other branches...

COMMUNICATIONS.

OUR FINANCIAL POSITION.

To the Editor:—I unfortunately do not see your valuable paper regularly in Vancouver, and it was only by chance that, while staying in Kamloops, I came across your recent criticism of my pamphlet...

better terms, and in any arrangement for readjustment, it should be laid down as a leading principle that the Dominion government must give as a further part...

Mr. Carnegie's disparaging references may be found in a work entitled "Triumph of Democracy." Mr. Carnegie, like an ordinary mortal, has made some mistakes...

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP. Vancouver, March 26th, 1902.

SPORTING.

TOURNAMENT POSTPONED.

The city championship tournament which is to be held under the auspices of the Victoria Athletic Club...

THE RIFLE.

The good Friday shoot at Clover Point tomorrow will start punctually at 9 o'clock.

BASEBALL.

The Victoria will have the first general practice at Oak Bay on Good Friday, when they will play a practice game with the Wanderers Base Ball Club...

THE RING.

The fourth annual tournament of the Pacific Northwest Golf Association will take place on the course of the Tacoma Golf Club...

BASKETBALL.

To-night the police and Royal Engineers basketball teams will engage in a practice game at the Victoria Athletic Club hall...

MEETING YESTERDAY.

Yesterday afternoon a meeting of the Intermediate basketball league was held in the Victoria Athletic Club hall...

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is for Infants and Children. Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrup. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance.

Castoria is an excellent medicine for children. Mothers have repeatedly told me of its good effect upon their children.

THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF CHARLES H. HAZELTON APPEARS ON EVERY WRAPPER.

\$10.00 FOR \$1.00. In one year is a fair profit. Buy Similkameen Valley Coal Company's shapes and make it.

Was the profit made in four years in Crow's Nest Coal shape.



The map shows the location of the Company's coal land and their city of wonder, Ashnola. Stock holders participate in the profits of all of the above mentioned.

Two basketball matches were played last evening. The first was between the J. B. A. and the V. A. C. Intermediate teams...

Friday, April 4th. 9.30 to 10.30—Continuation of men's open championship. 10.30 to 11.30—Continuation of women's open championship.

Saturday, April 5th. 9.30 to 10.30—Continuation of men's open championship. 10.30 to 11.30—Continuation of women's open championship.

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Sam. B. Sutton. 72 FORT STREET, Between Douglas and Blanchard Sts., VICTORIA. Will Leave Port Eslington for Hazelton.

A TRUSCOTT BOAT. Simple, Safe, Reliable, Speedy. B. HUYFVING, Agent, VICTORIA, B. C.

VICTORIA UNDERTAKING PARLORS. 30 JOHNSON STREET. F. BROOKS, MANAGER. Telephone: Office, 585; Residence, 740.

TRY BURTON'S XXXX ENGLISH ALE. ON DRAUGHT AT THE WILSON BAR. 65 YATES STREET. HOT LUNCH DAY AND NIGHT.

OUR 50¢ PER DOZ. PHOTOS. CANNOT BE DUPLICATED FOR THREE TIMES THE PRICE; STAMPS, 2 DOL. FOR 25¢, THIS MONTH ONLY. STAMP PHOTO STUDIO. 80 GOVERNMENT ST.

STOCK TAKING AT Stoddard's Jewelry Store. 65 YATES STREET. Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, at prices that make them for fresh arrivals.

NOTICE. TENDERS.

Are called for the purchase of the following property, namely: All that section of land and premises, being part of suburban 5-acre lot number 5, Victoria City, commencing at a point on the southern side of the continuation of Cornhill street, 210 feet from the western boundary of said suburban lot...

W. E. OLIVER, Solicitor for the Judgment Creditors.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its present session, for an Act to incorporate a company with power to construct, maintain and operate a single or double line of railway, to be operated by steam, electrically or by any other power, and from the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, thence northward to the most feasible route to a point at or near Seymour Narrows, in the said Province of British Columbia, and with power to construct, maintain and operate a railway ferry steamship service for the purpose of transferring freight cars from the said point at or near Seymour Narrows, in Vancouver Island, to a point on the Mainland of the Province of British Columbia; and with further powers to build, equip, maintain and operate a branch of the said railway from any point on the main line thereof to any point in Vancouver Island; and with power to build and operate tramways in connection with the said railway; and with power to build, construct, equip, maintain and operate telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railway and branches, and with power to generate electricity for the supply of light, heat, power, and for all other purposes necessary or incidental to the carrying out of all or any of the objects referred to in this notice; and with power to exercise all the powers given in the Company by Parts IV, and V, of the Water Classes, Consolidation Act, 1897, and with power to build, own and maintain a wharf and to carry on a general cargo business, and to build, maintain and operate bridges, roads, wharves, ferries, wharves, docks, steamships, and other works, and to make traffic or other arrangements with railways, steamships and electric lines, and other companies; and with power to appropriate lands for the purpose of the company, and to acquire land, bonuses, privileges or other aid from any government or municipality, or other persons or bodies corporate, and with power to construct, roads to be used in the construction of such railway and in advance of same, and to levy and collect tolls, and to grant franchises and to grant franchises over the use of such roads built by the company, whether before or after the construction of the railway, and with all other usual, necessary or incidental rights or privileges as may be necessary or conducive to the above objects, or any of them.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 24th day of March, 1902.

ROBERTSON & ROBERTSON, Solicitors for the Applicants.

NOTICE.

Application will be made to the parliament of Canada at its present session for an Act to incorporate the First National Bank of Canada, with the usual powers of banks under the Bank Act and its amendments.

(Signed) S. B. WOODS, Solicitor for Applicants. Dated March 26th, 1902.

CAUTION.

Notice is hereby given that John Mitchell, butler, is authorized to sell a horse (or mare) belonging to me, at present in his possession.

THOS. POTTER, Lion Brewery Saloon.

PATENTS TRADE MARKS.

Rowland Brittain, Mechanical Engineer and Patent Attorney, Bank of B.N.A. Building, Vancouver.

CURE YOURSELF!

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Commission for a license to sell spirits and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Post Saloon, situate on Johnson street, in the city of Victoria.

Dated the 26th day of February, 1902. J. M. D. HUGHES.

NOTICE.

All mineral rights are reserved by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land bounded on the south by the southern boundary of Comox District, on the east by the Straits of Greaves, on the north by the 50th parallel, and on the west by the boundary of the E. & N. Railway and Grand Comoxian.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Commission for a license to sell spirits and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Esquimalt Hotel, situate at the corner of Douglas and Government streets, in the city of Victoria.

Dated this 13th day of March, 1902. M. H. McFARRE.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next session for a transfer to M. H. McFARRE of the license now held by us for the sale of wine and spirituous liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Wilson Hotel, situate at No. 34 Yates street, Victoria, B. C.

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THE COMMISSION ON RAILWAY DEAL

(Continued from page 1.)

not build beyond the Yellowhead Pass, and consequently the contract was made with the Edmonton & Yukon Company, who have a charter to the Pacific Coast.

Mr. Bond—A material question? The learned commissioner said he had better answer the question.

Mr. Greenshield then replied that the figure was \$2,000,000 for line, stations, telegraph system, rolling stock and all the railway plant had met Mr. Wells in Montreal last October. They went to Toronto together and discussed railways with Mackenzie & Mann, and it was then decided that Mr. Mann and himself should come out here in February.

Mr. Curtis—But we are surely entitled to a reasonable adjustment of two or three years.

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N. was on the basis of \$2,000,000, payments to be secured by the issue of first mortgage bonds on the road—they to operate the road. He had made no arrangements with Mr. Dunsmuir previous to the contract being signed in Toronto.

Mr. Bond again said that if he was to be of any assistance to the court he must insist on the production of the documents asked for, and some time to study them.

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